

Grapevine Public Library
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Tuesday 10-9

Wednesday 10-9

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Friday 10-6

Saturday 10-5

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KIDS' COMIC CON KICK-OFF!

FRIDAY, JUNE 5 AND SATURDAY, JUNE 6

Summer Reading Club kicks off with a mini comic con with programs, superhero photo ops, classic Superman screenings, comic book giveaways from

Area 51 Gaming, and more! This is an all-day, come-and-go event.

For Everyone (No age or library card restrictions):

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June 5-6	10 am-5 pm	Kids' Comic Con Kick-Off
June 11	7 pm	Pint Size Polkas
June 13	1 pm	Lone Star Spinners Yo-Yo Club
June 18	7 pm	Make & Take Craft Night



For Elementary School Ages:

"Every Hero Has a Story!" Important: To attend these events children must be ages 5 and up, someone must show a current Grapevine library card, and children must be able to attend without an adult. Library staff will scan cards and supervise the group during the program. SRC programs are on Wednesdays at 2 pm. An alternate program will be offered for younger children in the storytime room during this time.

June 10	2 pm	Tales of Balloonalot: Balloon-twisting Storytelling
June 17	2 pm	Merry Makers Hero Show: Puppets, Music, and Magic
June 24	2 nm	Wildlife on the Move's Boas versus Pythons

For Middle and High School Ages:

New this year! Register and submit reading entries electronically for the "Unmask" Teen Summer Reading program which starts on June 5. Entries will be eligible to win cool prizes at weekly drawings and a Grand prize!

Teen Programs will be held on Thursdays at 2 pm for those entering 6th grade and up.

June 11 2 pm Balloon Sculpture Workshop with Jason Vaughn
June 18 2 pm Self Defense Tactics with Grapevine Martial Arts Studio
June 25 2 pm Wildlife on the Move's Amazing Animal Adaptations



Adult Summer Reading Program

"Escape the Ordinary!" Sign up for the Adult Summer Reading Program and enter our weekly drawing. Registration begins June 5 and the first of 8 weekly drawings begins June 18. Every book you read earns you an entry in the drawing. The more you read, the better your chances. New for 2015, you will be able to register for Summer Reading and submit reading entries electronically!

June 20 2 pm A Hawaiian Escape

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Create It

Some programs have age limits and some require registration. Please check program details.

Summer Competitions

Robotics

Grab a teammate and compete in our first summer robotics competition. Using Lego Mindstorm kits, teams will be presented with a set of challenges to be completed, in order to score points. The teams will have all summer to work on engineering and programming their robot, leading up to a final day of competition. Teams may begin working on their robot on Friday, June 5. Final competition will take place on Saturday, August 8. For more information or to register a team, contact the Create It space at 817.410.3407 or email createit@grapevinetexas.gov. Preference will be given to pre-made teams of 2-3 students. Team spaces will fill up very quickly, so if you are interested please register as soon as possible. Ages 10 – 15.

Game Design

Grapevine Library is having its first summer Game Design competition for Middle and High school students from June 5th to August 14th. Attend classes in game design, programming, and art. Use this summer as an opportunity to build your first game and compete! For details, please visit the library's website at grapevine.lib.tx.us and choose Create It from the left hand menu.

Wii Super Smash Brothers Tournament

Grab your friends and join us on Friday, June 19 from 2 to 4 pm for a fun video game tournament. Ages 10 and up. No registration needed.

Summer Classes

Digital Art Club

June 4 and June 18 6:00pm - 7:30pm Learn how to make digital art and music. Check calender for specific topic. Ages 8+

Summer Game Design Camp

June 6 1:00pm - 3pm and June 19th 1:00pm - 3pm Learn how to design games using Game Maker, a free program that uses visual drag and drop programming. Ages 12+

Creative Writing Club

June 9th and 23th at 6:00pm to 8:00pm Learn how to write shorts, make interactive fiction and share your works. Ages 12+

Advanced Video Game Design Camp

June 19th 10:30am to 12:30pm Learn more advanced techniques in Game Maker. Ages 12+

Mobile App and Game Design

June 13th and 27th - 2pm to 4pm Learn programming with C# and design mobile games and apps. Ages 12+

Computer Aided Design (CAD)

Use this summer to begin your journey into the art of Computer Aided Design (CAD) using 123D Design, a free, powerful, yet simple 3D creation and editing tool. This one-on-one class consists of several lessons and exercises that will help even the most novice computer user master 3D design. Please email createit@grapevinetexas.gov to set up a day and time. Ages 12+

For more information on any Create It programs, please call 817-410-3407, email createit@grapevinetexas.gov, or check the library website at grapevine.lib.tx.us.

Textile Arts

The DFW Machine Knitters Guild meets June 13 at 10:30 a.m. The next meeting of Quilt Chat will be Sunday, June 28 at 2:30 pm.

A Hawaiian Escape

Enjoy a musical and dance celebration of hula culture and tradition with the Island Crew Entertainers. Learn the history of both ancient and modern hula dance. Take a glimpse into Polynesian cultural entertainment from Tahiti to New Zealand. Experience a hula dance performance and the sounds of the traditional hula drums. This is sure to be a fun and educational event for the whole family. Presented Saturday, June 20 at 2 pm.



Entwined Minds Book Club

The book club will meet on Monday, June 8th at 1:00 p.m. We will be discussing the book Behind the Beautiful Forevers by Katherine Boo. Annawadi is a makeshift settle-

ment in the shadow of luxury hotels near the Mumbai airport, and as India starts to prosper, Annawadians are electric with hope. But then terror and a global recession rock the city.

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Genealogy

Name Droppers

On Monday, June 8, join the genealogy buffs for Nancy Maxwell's presentation: Library of Congress as a Genealogical Resource. Name Droppers programs begin at 10:30 am. Please join us and learn more about the fascinating world of genealogy.

Explore Horizons

Tutors from Explore Horizons will teach a writing workshop based on the book *Flora & Ulysses* on Tuesday, June 9 from 5 to 6 pm. This workshop is for 7-10 year olds. Please call 817-410-3405 to reserve a spot.

Pint Size Polkas

Children of all ages will enjoy the good vibes and bouncy beat of catchy polka tunes as they learn about letters in the alphabet, numbers, and more. Please join us on



Thursday, June 11th at 7 pm and meet the man behind one of our favorite storytime songs, The Whoop Polka!

Make & Take: Rainbow Colors
Explore the colors with diffusing paper and droppers of liquid watercolors on Thursday, June 18 at 7 pm.

Game Days

Spend Friday afternoons (beginning June 12th) from 2 to 3:30 pm playing board games in the Children's Program Room. We have chess, check-



ers, Scrabble, Guess Who, Connect Four, Jenga, Pictureka, Don't Break the Ice, and many more.

Science Saturdays



Young scientists ages 6+ are invited to investigate scientific principles with us twice monthly. Snap Circuits will be available on Saturday, June 20

from I-4 pm. The Contact Science program using kits provided by UTD is offered monthly with a different topic each month. The next program will be June 27 from 2 to 3 pm. Topic TBA.

R.E.A.D. to a Furry Friend will not meet in June.

WEEKLY SCHEDULE

TUESDAYS:

Music & Movement (all ages) 10:30-11am. Songs and movement activities using instruments, ribbons, beanbags, scarves, bells, and a parachute.

Brain Builders (all ages) 1-5 pm. For school-aged children, build using Legos, Magnatiles, Squigz, and more. For younger children there are stacking, sorting, and matching activities.

WEDNESDAYS:

Stretch Stories (all ages) 10:15-10:40 Stand up and stretch in this very interactive storytime where we act out, dance, and sing along with the stories.

Classic Storytime (recommended for ages 3+) 10:45 to 11:15 am. Enjoy books, flannelboard stories, music, and puppets while learning concepts such as colors and counting. Practice socialization skills for school, following directions, and quiet listening skills.

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Sensation Stations: Sensory Play for Babies, Toddlers, and Preschoolers (recommended for birth to age 3) 1-2:30 pm. Stations include scented clay, colorful rice and scoops, squishy gel pads, tactile fabric swatches, sandpaper/yarn art, textured, puffer, and kooshie balls, touch-and-feel and scratch-and-sniff books, and ice cubes.

Family Night (all ages) 7:00-7:30 pm Something different every week: Storytime, Make & Take Crafts, Guest Performer, Music & Movement or Puppet Show.

FRIDAYS:

Baby Time (Birth to 18 months) 10:30-11 am. A variety of programs for babies that may consist of My First Storytime, Baby Play & Sign, Babygarten, or Sensory Play.



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